

# MULTI MODAL COMMITTEE FERRY DIVISION REPORT

## BOARD OF TRANSPORTATION 7-8 MARCH 2018

#### PROJECTS (Provide status/update for top 3-5 projects in respective mode)

- Passenger Ferry Project
  - <u>Boats:</u> Hull erection and framing 35% complete and about 2 weeks behind schedule. CAT-C18 engines scheduled to ship to USW 9 Feb. Thrustmaster Waterjets are in production with expected delivery 1 Mar. Detailed engineering will be complete 9 Feb. Delays in receiving drawings from BMT-Nigel (working with USW) has restrained hull fabrication causing the 2-week schedule slip. Contractor 45-60 days behind schedule; still developing work plan to make up schedule.
  - o Terminals:
    - Pre-Construction meeting held on 23 Jan 18. Contractor, A.R Chesson, mobilized at Hatteras and began installing temporary security fencing.
    - Floating dock bids received 8 Dec 17. Engineer's estimate was \$1,149,958. Bids received at \$2,933.855 and \$2,953,878 had to be rejected. Docks, gangways, railings and utility connections will be bid separately to eliminate prime contractor risk and mark-up. Docks, gangways, and railings will be issued as Purchase Orders to eliminate the need for bonding. Construction period of will be reduced to 4 months.
  - <u>Transit:</u> Tram procurement IFB was advertised and bids are due 17 Feb. Manufacturing takes 90 days.
     Delivery is planned for late May.
- Platen #5 Project
  - Design drawings 100% complete. State approved the stormwater design. Erosion control and environmental impact permitting documents are in production.
- Ticketing and Reservations upgrades
  - Accepting American Express; inclusion of the Pedestrian Ferry Route and the non-toll routes for traffic collection. Anticipate implementation of Pedestrian Route in the summer of 2018

#### **BUDGET UPDATES** (Provide budget reporting pertinent to respective mode)

- FY 18
- Year to Date Expenditures \$23,237,981.74
- Rev Generated Vessel Replacement Accts Balance Forward \$ 9,962,538.17

FER Sys Capital All Routes \$92.912.50 Currituck-Knotts Island \$30.838.41 Hatteras Inlet \$276,622.86 Swan Quarter-Ocracoke Island \$1,912,723.36 Ocracoke Island of OI-Cedar \$1,696,142.17 o Pamlico River \$34,332.61 \$177,595.24 Cherry Branch-Minnesott Beach Cedar Island of OI-Cedar Island \$1,696,127.20 Southport-Fort Fisher \$4,045,243.82

Shipyard Improvement Account Balance Forward \$ 957,904.71



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ANNOUNCEMENTS	
(Share updates on announcements/upcoming events in respective mode)	
<u>New</u>	<u>Upcoming</u>
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#### **MEETINGS ATTENDED** (List any key meetings attended this month)

The following presentations were made on the passenger ferry project:

Passenger Ferry Stakeholder group Manteo, NC Jan 26<sup>th</sup> Passenger Vessel Association, Savannah GA Jan 29<sup>th</sup> Ocracoke Civic and Business Ocracoke, NC Feb 7<sup>th</sup> Dare County Commissioners Manteo, NC Feb 20<sup>th</sup>

#### **CLOSING THOUGHTS**

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